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## THIS MONTH AT SHELTON

### CAREER CENTER SCHEDULES EMPLOYMENT SEMINARS

TWO EMPLOYMENT SEMINARS WILL BE HELD IN NOVEMBER AS PART OF A SERIES OF PROGRAMS DESIGNED TO ENHANCE ACADEMIC AND CAREER SUCCESS. ALTHOUGH THE EMPLOYMENT SEMINARS HAVE BEEN DEVELOPED FOR CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL (East Campus). PROSPECTIVE GRADUATES, OTHER STUDENTS ARE ALSO INVITED TO ATTEND. BOTH SEMINARS WILL BE CONDUCTED BY SAMUEL MERRIWEATHER, CAREER CENTER COORDINATOR THE

SEMINARS WILL BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3 AND 9 AT 8 A.M. IN THE CAREER CENTER ON THE FREDD CAMPUS. TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL MERRIWEATHER OR KATHERINE WILLIAMS, 758-3361.

### MENS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

November 7: Concordia College. Home 8 p.m.  
November 12: Bevill State College Home 8 p.m.  
November 14 : Snead State College. Boaz 7:30 p.m.  
All home games will be played at Central High

### MONDAY CONCERT SERIES

On Monday, November 7, the Shelton music department will present a musicale featuring applied music students at the college. On Monday, November 14, the Shelton Singers, under the direction

of Glinda Blackshear, will perform. Both concerts will be held at 1 p.m. in the music room located on the Skyland Campus.

### WELLNESS WORKSHOP SCHEDULED

The West Alabama Wellness Task Force will sponsor a Wellness Workshop for Health Care Professionals of Alabama on Friday, November 18, from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. at the college. According to Milady Khoury Murphy, this workshop is the "first of its kind in the state because it brings together representatives from Shelton, the University of Alabama, and the community in an effort to educate the public in the area of wellness."

The workshop will include information on nutrition, exercise, physiology, stress management and interpersonal relationships. CEUs will be given to



participants through the Alabama State Nurses Association.

Representing the college are: Murphy; Joyce Jolly; Ted Spring; Charles Payne; Arthur Howington; Shirley Johnson; Gladys Hill; Pat Ochoa; and Lucy Kubiszyn. University of Alabama representatives are: Jennette Vandemere, chair; Felecia Wood; Marsha Adams; Don Gambriel; Margaret Garner; and Cheree Causey; Community representatives include: Joan Wilson; Betty LaGrone; Donna McAllister; Dean Walburn; Philip Coleman; and Charlene Robertson, director of CEU Nursing Association, Montgomery.

For additional information, contact Murphy, ext. 2394.

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#### **ANTIQUES COURSE THIS MONTH**

November 3: Field Trip to Birmingham Museum of Art to see a new collection, "Alabama Made." Lunch. Leave from college at 10:30 a.m.

November 10: Vintage clothing and fabrics. Janet Rushing, 1 p.m.

For additional information on the antiques class, contact Katherine Alexander, ext. 2389.

#### **GOLF TEAM NEWS**

The Alabama Intercollegiate Golf Tournament will be held November 6, 7, and 8 at the Robert Trent Jones Golf Course in Greenville, Alabama.

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#### **FACES AND PLACES**

**CAROLE JOHNSON**, a member of Shelton's English faculty, is showing two sculptures in the fall 1994 Student Art Show at the Ferguson Center Gallery on the University of Alabama campus. The works shown are "Carapace," a construction of paper, iron, and straw, and "Cherub," a construction of wood, wire, and singed cloth. The show will run from October 17 through November 4.

**ANDREA PARKER** has transferred from the Title III office on the Fredd Campus to the accounts payable staff at the business office. Congratulations on your new assignment, Andrea!

**SHERRY KIRKSEY**, a member of Shelton's faculty and director of the Child Development Center, will return November 2 from a 10 day trip to Reggio Emilia, Italy. Kirksey is traveling with a

group of delegates from across the United States who will be studying preschools in Italy. According to Kirksey, some of the finest preschools in the world are located in Reggio Emilia. This is the sixth delegation from the United States to make the trip to Italy and Kirksey is the first person from Alabama to receive an invitation. As part of the trip, the delegation will look at the classroom environment, the teachers' roles in communicating and teaching strategies. Kirksey has been director of Shelton's child care center since it opened and she has been active in child advocacy programs on the local, state, and national level.

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**LYDA BLACK**, **YVONNE ROGERS** and **MARIE GRAY** recently attended the Southern Business Education Association Convention in Birmingham. Black served as liaison for the Thursday session. Continuous workshops were presented on networking, desktop publishing, key boarding on computers, and other subjects.

**ABOUT OUR  
STUDENTS  
TWO SHELTON  
STUDENTS TO OPEN**



## TRAVEL AGENCY

JARRELL REED and TIM JENKINS, two of Shelton's travel and tourism students, will open a new travel agency in Tuscaloosa before the end of this year. They have purchased a franchise from Atlanta Discount Travel and the name of the new agency will be Tuscaloosa Discount Travel. Reed and Jenkins were some of the first students to enroll in the college's travel and tourism program last spring. May we all wish them good luck!

## BENCHES AND TABLES DONATED TO THE FREDD CAMPUS

Thanks to the efforts of the former Student Government Association of Fredd State Technical College, students on that campus can now enjoy outdoor seating in comfort --- whether waiting for the bus, reading, taking a break from class, or chatting with friends. New tables and benches have been purchased for the Fredd Campus. The funds used to purchase the tables and benches resulted from special SGA projects completed prior to the merger with Shelton. Sam MERRIWEATHER and

Shirley Spencer served as advisors of the group.

The current SGA for Shelton State includes students from each of the college's campuses.

## LIBRARY NEWS

The name of the new electronic library assistant is SHELBY. The letters in the name are taken from SHELton ELectronic liBrarY and the logo was designed by Shelton commercial art student Ken Roach. Two faculty members submitted the name, Bill Aldridge and Andrea Bowden. Each won a dinner for two at Chili's Restaurant.

Winners of the poster giveaway were Ivory Woltz, Lee Albritton, Kendrick King, and Arthur Carr.

A special thanks also goes to Tim Shuman, Pepsi Cola; Humphrey Lee; Lad Marks, Chili's; the Shelton State Foundation; John Freed; Julia Seales; Carol Busey; and Angela LaPorte. Arthur Howington, Joyce Jolly, Wade Cooper, Fran Turner, Gina Tinney, Muriel Campbell, Louise Prewitt, and Linda Blalock were given the first patron bar codes on the new system.

## IF YOU ARE PLANNING ON PURCHASING

## COMPUTER

SOFTWARE, PLEASE BE SURE THE PURCHASE IS MADE THROUGH ACCOUNT NUMBER -642 IN ORDER THAT PROPER INVENTORY CAN BE MAINTAINED.

## DEANS' CORNER

Arthur Howington

In August, the Alabama Commission on Higher Education (ACHE) established a statewide planning initiative for associate-level allied health education in the State of Alabama. The need for this initiative originated with the decision of the University of Alabama at Birmingham to terminate its 10 allied health linkage programs.

Chancellor Gainous was invited to make three appointments to this task force of stakeholders in allied health education who will lead this initiative. The task force would work with consultants employed by ACHE to compile data, research the need for associate-level allied health education, and develop recommendations for ACHE to consider.

Chancellor Gainous appointed Evelyn Mettee of Shelton State as one of the three post secondary education members of this



ACHE task force. Evelyn has long been active in matters of allied health, and this appointment is recognition of her knowledge, her expertise, her experience, and her continuing contribution to this important educational area.

The two other task force members appointed by Chancellor Gainous are Dr. Bert Slafter, assistant director for new programs, Department of Postsecondary Education; and Dr. Joe Morris, dean of instruction at Jefferson State Community College.

Congratulations to Evelyn on her appointment.

Shelton State received a report dated August 20 on the results of 12 Shelton State students who recently have taken the Alabama State Real Estate Examination to become licensed as real estate salespersons. All of these students had successfully complete the real estate class taught by Britt Turner.

The state examination results look quite good. Eleven of the 12 Shelton students who took the exam passed for a 92% passing rate. Statewide, 225 students took the exam, and 141 passed for a passing rate of only 63 %.

In addition, the mean score earned by Shelton students was higher than the mean score for all students who took the exam on seven of the eight individual sections of the examination.

This is a fine performance by this group of students, and Dr. Turner should be proud of his continuing success in this particular activity of our institution.

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## NEWS FROM THE SHELTON STATE FOUNDATION

The Foundation's Barbecue Bash netted over \$5,000 profit this year. This is money that will go directly to fund some of the Foundation's scholarships. Many thanks from the Foundation Board of Directors to everyone who supported the Bash this year.

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## NEW FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

Several years ago the Shelton State Foundation established a scholarship program. The Foundation is deeply appreciative for the support it has received for this project. In order to keep administrative

costs to a minimum, the following criteria for establishing and maintaining a Shelton State Foundation scholarship fund has been established.

1. All Foundation named funds must be established and maintained at a minimum \$5,000 level. The only exceptions would be:

a. A fund may be established at less than the \$5,000 level if the monies in the fund are deposited and then spent in the same calendar year.

b. A fund may be established at less than the \$5,000 level if a written agreement is made between the person(s) or organization establishing the fund and the Foundation stating that enough money will be added to the fund annually over a period not to exceed five years until the \$5,000 level is reached.

2. All monies given to the Foundation for scholarships that do not meet the above criteria will be deposited into one of the Foundation's existing scholarship funds or will be made a part of the Foundation's general scholarship fund. Please call the Foundation office for more information, 391-2298 or 391-2221.